

REMARKS

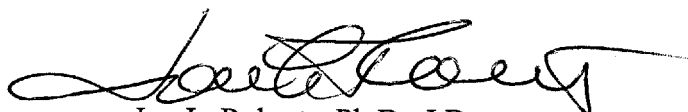
Claims 103-135 remain in the Application. Claims 103 and 126-135 have been amended. Claims 1-102 were previously canceled. No new matter has been added.

The amendment to claim 103 removes superfluous language from the claim. The amendments to claims 126-135 correct informalities in the preambles of the claims that depended from claim 125. The informalities in the claims were not cited in any office action and were only recently identified by the Applicant.

Applicant respectfully submits that the Amendments set forth herein place the claims in condition for appeal in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.116 and requests that the amendments be entered on that basis. Applicant further submits that entering the amendments does not impose a burden on the Patent Office and is conducive to resolving the issues remaining in the prosecution in an efficient manner.

Applicant's counsel may be reached at the number listed below to resolve any questions the Examiner may have regarding this amendment.

Respectfully Submitted,



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